

Church of Christ *Third and Kilgore*

Empowered by the Spirit
Witnessing to the World
Acts 1:8

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*We Welcome You to Worship
and Study God's Word With Us!*

Sunday

Bible Class 9:00 a.m.
Worship/Communion 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday – 7:00 p.m.

Devotional and Bible Classes

Tuesday – 9:30 a.m.

Ladies Bible Class

Order of Worship

Call to Worship Hymn
Curtis Breshears

Announcements, Prayer & Reading
Jack Merrick—Micah 6:6-8

Songs of Praise

Communion Hymn

Communion Scripture
Cody Padgett—Psalm 51:10-17

Lord's Supper
Weston Whitecotton
Cobe Correa
Seth Chandler (Bread)
Javin Chandler (Cup)
W.T. Whitecotton (Offering)
Eli Terry

Pick Up Trays (Back)
Aiden Cabeldue
Jeffery Spina

Song

Scripture Reading
Seth Chandler—1 Peter 2:2-8

Sermon
"He has Told Us"
What Must I Do? Part 5
Micah 6:6-8
Will Spina

Closing Song

Closing Prayer
Adam Terry

Pick Up Cards
Orrin Chenault
Tryan Chenault
Jackson Littrell

Greeters
Brianna Schilling
Madisyn Purcell
Holly Chandler

Teen Helpers for Children's Worship
Haiden Padgett & Cobe Correa

For the Record November 5, 2017

• Sunday AM Class	108
• Sunday AM Worship	181
• Sunday PM Worship	

Other Meeting Times

SUNDAY EVENING – 5:00 p.m.
Opening Prayer—Dustin Cabeldue
Song Leader—Johnny Lieb
Sermon—Will Spina
Closing Prayer—Hunter Terry

WEDNESDAY EVENING
11/15/17 – 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Requests—Colin Chandler
Song Leader—Troy Goynes

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Fear

by Ted Simmons

We just finished celebrating a season where typically people take turns trying to see just how bad they can scare someone else. People pay money to go to haunted houses or mazes for a good scare. I remember my first Halloween where I felt too old to go trick-or-treating, so I set up a dummy in front of our house two weeks before Halloween. Thirty minutes before all the kids started going out I switched places with the dummy. I'll never forget the look on the faces of that first group of kids as they looked at me in terror, as their dads kept shouting, "It's just a dummy, get up there!" As they burst into smiles and forgetting me when they saw the door open and candy...and as they went into complete terror when they saw the "dummy" standing behind them. Classic.

There's a lot of things we can be afraid of – politics, world events, spiders, alligators (those things should have died with the dinosaurs – nothing should move that fast on land and water)... But what does it mean when Scripture talks about "fear of the Lord"? I once heard someone try to tell me that it legitimately meant that we should be terrified of God – in constant fear of His judgment to come. But when you look at the text, that definition doesn't add up.

Throughout the Old Testament, the phrase "fear of the Lord" is used less in a context of, "be terrified of God" and more in a context of "have a healthy respect for the Lord/stand in awe of Him." Look at Deuteronomy 10:12 – "And now, Israel, what does the LORD your God ask of you but to fear the LORD your God, to walk in obedience to him, to love him, to serve the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul, and to observe the LORD's commands and decrees that I am giving you today for your own good?" To "fear the Lord" is to respect him by walking in obedience. Consider the example of the Parable of the Talents – all the servants had a 'fear' of the master, but each responded differently. Those that actually served the master were rewarded. It's only the one that allowed his fear to cripple him from acting that was punished.

Too many people have an unhealthy fear of God – constantly in fear that God will destroy them, in fear that they aren't good enough, in fear that God can't forgive them. But that's not what God wants you to hear. It is, however, what Satan would have you hear. Because Satan would prefer to keep you focused on lies than the truth. That truth is that God desperately loves you and wants you back with Him for eternity. In order to be reunited with Him we need to honor His ways, we need to respect Him – we need to fear the Lord. It is through loving God, serving Him with all our heart, soul, strength & mind that we fear God. Not by cowering in a corner, but by serving in faithfulness. How are you serving in God's Kingdom? How are you being obedient to His call to live a holy life?

Proverbs 22:17

"A merry heart does good like medicine"

ELDERS

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Joe Chandler	575-607-5817
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Student Center	575-356-8342

Budget Report

Contribution 11-05-2017	\$6,103
Weekly Budget	\$5,600
Difference	+\$503
YTD Budget	\$252,000
YTD Contribution	\$245,797
YTD—Under Budget	-\$6,203

Mark 8:2

"I have compassion for these people; they have already been with me three days and have nothing to eat."

Church Pantry

- Sugar
- Spaghetti sauce
- Canned meats
- Canned fruits
- Canned vegetables



Prayer Requests

Geneva Dendy - home after a brief stay in the hospital.

Lindsey Chisholm - is having health concerns.

Anthony Mann - recovering from a fall breaking his wrist.

Glenda Creighton - Garland's mother, hospitalized in Lubbock. She was expected to come home Thursday.

Gail Crozier - home in hospice care.

Susan Smith - scheduled for surgery on Friday.

Robin McKillip - Wynette & Kathy's cousin, Clements Jr. University Hospital in Dallas for surgery on Thursday for complications from a recent femoral bypass surgery.

Please continue to remember those with ongoing health problems: Kayce Archer, Juanita Barbee, Leslie Bohm, Daryl & Gail Bond, Lucille Brooks, Javin Chandler, Joan Clayton, Stan Dement, Jack Dendy, Gayle Ferguson, Barney & Nico Francis, Warren Funk, Alice Gossett, Blinda Gossett, Cliff & Betty Gossett, Joan Goynes, C.H. Hays, Wenonah Hunton, Geneva Judah, Johnnie Justus, Vicki Kelley, Gene Marshall, Jack Merrick, Marcel Merrick, Patricia Miller, Marie Roberson, Lenna Rolan, Audrey Russell, Jeremy Russell, Jim Russell, Bonnie Smith, Carol Terry, Bill & Shirley Wahlman, James & Glenda Ward, Julie Webb, Lorene Wells, Maxine Wilhoit.

Family & Friends: Shannon Aguilar, Kellie Blair, Emma Blea, Bobby & Sheryl Borden, Mitzi Branscum, Eddie Burgos, Brenda Burris, Gregg Burris, Elma Cain, Donny Carpenter, Daegan East, Kylee Chandler, William Clark, Jane Clark, Traci Clark (Paul's sister), William Collins, Mary Delgado, Eliza Dodd, Sabrina Elliott, Jennifer Farrell, Gary & Cita Ford, Carlene Frasier, Roy Gaines, Cathy George, Larry Guthrie, Billy Hays, Homer Hernandez, Charlotte Holmes, Bryce Howe, Jeremy Humphrey, Carrie Keeney, Judy Knight, Ralph Langley, Gary Lewis, Karen Lingar, Ashley Lopez, Jack Maggard, Mary Cameron McCarty, Kim Merrick, Lexi Nixon, Sherry Owens, Candy Pena (Lorenza Marquez's sister), Sandra Pena (Lorenza Marquez's niece), Judy Reid, Gail Reynolds, Ron Riley, Daniel Saiz, Frank Sanchez, Kwayde Shearer, David Sikes, Paul & Susan Smith, Brady Stroup, Jack Tarver, Gail Terry, Gaynelle Thomas, Jenna Thomas, Ronnie Tipton, Kevin Trudo, Leflar Turner, Bill Valencia, Charles Webster, Betty Wells, Bill Whitt, Megan Wilson.

Privileged to Serve

November 19, 2017

Greeters (Before and After Classes)

Elsie Shirley
Betty Dever
Erin Cabeldue

Greeters (After Worship)

Everyone

Announcements, Opening Prayer, & Scripture Reading (Sunday & Wednesday)

Johnny Lieb

Song Leaders

Chris Adkins (A.M.)
Scott Reeves (P.M.)
Lindsey Chisholm (Wed.)

Scripture

Chance Chenault

Communion Devotional

TBA

Prayers

Jim Chandler (Closing A.M.)
Kevin Breshears (Opening P.M.)
Craig Breshears (Closing P.M.)
Jim Chandler (Prayer Requests)

Lord's Table

Garland Creighton
Damon Terry
Jim Wood (Bread)
Michael Terry (Cup)
Delbert Rector (Offering)
Leslie Rector

Pick Up Trays

Kenny Whitecotton
Cody Padgett

Pick Up Cards

Kendyn Martin
C.J. Martin
Tucker Plnkert

Lord's Supper—Sunday PM

Dustin Cabeldue
Aiden Cabeldue

Lord's Supper to Shut-Ins

Charles Terry
Damon Terry

Teen Helpers for Children's Worship

Kasyn Creighton

Announcements

3k Youth Activities

- This Sunday, November 12, Clip Tag & games at the church building from 6:00-7:30 p.m.
- November 17-19, Encounter LE.



Veterans Day Overserved

Church office will be closed this Friday, November 10.



Prime-Timers & Singles Pot Luck

All Prime-Timers & Singles are invited and encouraged to attend this Sunday, November 12, after the morning worship service. Please bring a dish and invite a friend.



Attention Men

Volunteers are needed for the last three communion devotionals on the first and third Sundays for 2017. Someone is needed for **Next Sunday, November 19, December 3 & 17.** A sign-up sheet is on the table in the foyer.



Community Thanksgiving Service

We will host the Community Thanksgiving Service on Sunday, November 19, at 6:00 p.m. We encourage ALL members to attend, help with singing, and greet many guests from the community. This is an opportunity to bless others in the name of Christ. This service is a fundraiser for the Ministerial Alliance and Salvation Army of Roosevelt County. Red Kettles will be passed near the end of the service for your donations. The money that is collected is distributed throughout the year by the Ministerial Alliance to needy families in Roosevelt County. (We will not meet for our regular evening service at 5:00)



NMCCH Holiday Collection

We will be collecting Kleenex and Brown Sugar for the New Mexico Christian Children's Home. Please place your items on the table in the foyer. The items will be picked up on Monday, December 18.



Tuesday Night Suppers

If you would be willing to help provide a meal for the ENMU students at the Student Center on Tuesday evenings, please talk to Ted Simons.



Youth Group Volunteers Needed

If you are interested in hosting a meal for the youth group, please sign up in the lobby.



Thank You Note

Third & Kilgore,

You are the reason for the smile on this young man's face. We cannot thank you enough for your willingness to give up your Saturday to serve our children. You were a blessing to all of us here at the New Mexico Christian Childrens Home!

Allen Mann



Holiday Schedule



- * Wed., Nov. 22—Thanksgiving Service, 7:00 p.m. No Classes.
- * Thurs. & Fri., Nov. 23 & 24—Thanksgiving Holiday, Church office will be closed.
- * Sun. Nov. 26—The 4th Sunday Pot Luck will be cancelled.
- * Sun., Dec. 10— All Church Christmas Fellowship, after the 5:00 p.m. evening worship service.
- * Sun., Dec. 10—The Prime-Timers & Singles Pot Luck luncheon will be cancelled.

The Christmas worship schedule and office closing will be posted soon.

The church's office hours may vary between December 26 and 30.

If you have a need, please call one of the staff at home.

